

Amendments to the Claims: This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application

Listing of Claims

1. (Currently Amended) ~~Cooking~~A cooking utensil with a bottom wall adapted for induction heating of the type comprising: a container (10)-made from a first material, that has integrated on the outer face of its bottom wall a heat distributing or diffusing plate (11)-made from a second, different, heat conducting material, characterised in that the outer surface (12) of the bottom wall of the container (10)-~~has~~ having a series of spaced projections (13)-and in ~~that~~ said heat distributing plate (11)-~~is made up of~~comprises a disc made from a ferromagnetic material provided with a number of perforations (14)-equivalent to the number of projections or lugs (13)-and appropriately distributed to allow the engagement of said disc, backed onto said bottom wall, by inserting the lugs (13)-through the perforations, leaving the disc attached to the bottom wall by riveting said projections-(13).
2. (Currently Amended) ~~Cooking~~The cooking utensil according to claim 1, characterised in ~~that it includes further comprising~~ an annular partition (15)-which surrounds said outer surface (12)-of its bottom wall plane defining an open, flattened housing suitable for receiving said fitted disc-(11), the height of the partition (15)-being slightly lower than that of said lugs and leaving the disc, once it is attached and the lugs are inserted into the holes and riveted, coplanar to the edge of said partition-(15).
3. (Currently Amended) ~~Cooking~~The cooking utensil according to claim 1, characterised in ~~that the wherein~~ said projections (13)-~~consist of~~comprise frustoconical lugs.
4. (Currently Amended) ~~Cooking~~The cooking utensil according to claim 3, characterised in ~~that the wherein~~ said lugs are distributed according to various concentric circumferential alignments, with at least the lugs belonging to two of said alignments having a different thickness.
5. (Currently Amended) ~~Cooking~~The cooking utensil according to claim 1~~one of the preceding claims~~, characterised in ~~that the wherein~~ said container (10)-is made from aluminium obtained from injection casting and said disc (11)-backed onto the outer surface of its bottom wall is made from stainless steel.
6. (Currently Amended) ~~Cooking~~The cooking utensil according to claim 5, characterised in ~~that wherein~~ said container (10)-forms a saucepan.

7. (Currently Amended) ~~Cooking~~The cooking utensil according to claim 6, characterised in that ~~wherein~~ said container ~~(10)~~ forms a pot with at least one handle.
8. (Currently Amended) ~~Cooking~~The cooking utensil according to claim 1, characterised in that ~~it includes~~further comprising a polished or grounded finish applied to the outer surface of the disc or utensil support base, once the plate or disc (11) has been attached.
9. (New) The cooking utensil according to claim 2, wherein said container is made from aluminium obtained from injection casting and said disc backed onto the outer surface of its bottom wall is made from stainless steel.
10. (New) The cooking utensil according to claim 3, wherein said container is made from aluminium obtained from injection casting and said disc backed onto the outer surface of its bottom wall is made from stainless steel.
11. (New) The cooking utensil according to claim 4, wherein said container is made from aluminium obtained from injection casting and said disc backed onto the outer surface of its bottom wall is made from stainless steel.
12. (New) The cooking utensil according to claim 9, wherein said container forms a saucepan.
13. (New) The cooking utensil according to claim 10, wherein said container forms a saucepan.
14. (New) The cooking utensil according to claim 11, wherein said container forms a saucepan.
15. (New) The cooking utensil according to claim 12, wherein said container forms a pot with at least one handle.
16. (New) The cooking utensil according to claim 13, wherein said container forms a pot with at least one handle.
17. (New) The cooking utensil according to claim 14, wherein said container forms a pot with at least one handle.